

AGENDA: January 14, 2003

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CATEGORY: Consent

DEPT.: Community Development

TITLE: Resolution of Appreciation—Patricia Showalter, Environmental Planning Commissioner

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO PATRICIA SHOWALTER FOR HER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING COMMISSION AND THE COMMUNITY.

FISCAL IMPACT—None.

BACKGROUND AND ANALYSIS

After more than nine years of service to the community as a member of the Environmental Planning Commission, Ms. Showalter has completed her allowed two terms of office. It is recommended that the attached resolution be enacted in recognition of Ms. Showalter's significant contributions to the City of Mountain View.

PUBLIC NOTICING—Agenda posting.

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Attachment: 1. Resolution

CITY OF MOUNTAIN VIEW
RESOLUTION NO.
SERIES 2003

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO PATRICIA SHOWALTER
FOR HER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE
ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING COMMISSION AND THE COMMUNITY

WHEREAS, Patricia Showalter has been an active member of the Environmental Planning Commission from December 14, 1993 through December 31, 2002, including serving as Chairperson in 1997; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Showalter was an active participant in crafting the Environmental Planning Commission's recommendations in a very large number of major planning studies over her nine years of service, including: the Whisman Neighborhood Area Plan; the Whisman Station Precise Plan; the Shoreline West Precise Plan (the Alza site); the Americana Center Precise Plan (several times); the Zoning Ordinance rewrite project (including the parking section, definitions, residential and commercial zone districts, signs section and a new landscaping section); development of the T Overlay Zone; several T Overlay rezonings; the Evandale Precise Plan; the housing initiatives study which led to adoption of new standards for seniors housing programs, new zoning standards for efficiency studios and to the BMR and Housing Impact Fee Programs; the Downtown Precise Plan update; amendment of the San Antonio Station Precise Plan to allow the CSMA and the efficiency studios projects; over 18 individual rezonings; amendments to the Service Commercial Zone to help protect service businesses; the tobacco retailers ordinance; the massage parlor ordinance; the "gatekeeper" ordinance; the Grant-Martens Precise Plan; and the 2002 Housing Element and Residential Neighborhoods Chapter update; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Showalter brought especially valuable insights to the Commission from her perspectives as a mother, a pedestrian and bike rider, a hydrologist, an open space enthusiast and as an eloquent advocate of smart community growth;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Mountain View hereby expresses its sincere gratitude and appreciation to Patricia Showalter for her nine years of dedicated and thoughtful service to the community as a member of the Environmental Planning Commission.

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